

donee shall not require further GSA approval, unless the property has an estimated value in excess of \$500 or, in the case of blood plasma, consists of a quantity in excess of 1,000 units. In those instances in which the property to be donated exceeds the amounts stated, the GSA Regional Administrator for the area in which the property is located may approve the formal request submitted by the Red Cross.

§ 101-44.602 Cooperation of holding agencies.

Holding agencies shall cooperate with the Red Cross by informing the National Headquarters, Attention: General Supply Office, 17th and D Streets NW., Washington, DC 20006, of any surplus property in their custody which meets the criteria in § 101-44.600. By memorandum, letter, or other means of communication, the holding agencies shall provide information regarding suggested shipping facilities, quantity, description, condition, and location of such property in their inventories.

§ 101-44.603 Action by the Red Cross.

(a) Upon receipt of information from the holding agency regarding the availability of surplus personal property covered by this subpart, the Red Cross may inspect the property or request it pursuant to § 101-44.600 without inspection.

(b) The formal request and shipping instructions in duplicate shall be prepared and transmitted by the Red Cross to the holding agency activity having custody of the property within 20 calendar days from the date of notification of information provided for in § 101-44.602. Shipping instructions shall include a list of all such surplus property to be transferred and shall include reference to the date when information on which the request is based was received by the Red Cross. One copy of the request and shipping instructions shall be forwarded to the GSA regional office for the area in which the property is located.

(c) When the property to be donated exceeds the quantities stated in § 101-44.601, the Red Cross shall send three copies of the formal request and ship-

ping instructions to the designated GSA regional office for approval. Upon approval, the GSA regional office will mail two approved copies direct to the responsible activity of the holding agency.

§ 101-44.604 Transfer by holding agency.

The holding agency shall transfer direct to the Red Cross, upon receipt of the request and shipping instructions provided for in § 101-44.603, all items of surplus property requested. One copy of the request and shipping instructions shall be enclosed with the shipment or attached to shipping documents. The shipments shall be made f.o.b. installation, transportation charges collect.

§ 101-44.605 Donable property determined unusable by the Red Cross.

Property eligible for donation to the Red Cross which because of deterioration or for other reasons the Red Cross declines in writing to request as a donation, or as to which no action is taken by the Red Cross within the 20 calendar day period prescribed in § 101-44.603, shall be disposed of as other surplus. When the Red Cross property is offered for disposal, the disposal document shall provide for a certification to the effect that all Red Cross labels or other Red Cross identifications will be obliterated or removed from the property before use by the recipient or transfer by him to other users.

Subpart 101-44.7—Donations of Property to Public Bodies

§ 101-44.700 Scope of subpart.

This subpart prescribes the policies and methods governing the disposition by executive agencies by donation to public bodies of personal property which has no commercial value or of which the estimated cost of continued care and handling would exceed the estimated proceeds from its sale. This subpart does not apply to:

(a) Surplus personal property donated for the purposes of subparts 101-44.2, 101-44.4, and 101-44.5; or